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Erma Rich, Queen of Successful Winter Carnival at No. Waterford

The thirteenth annual Carnival of the Oxford County United Parish, conducted by the Crooked River Outing Club has gone into history leaving many pleasant memories with us. The day proved to be a most delightful one as far as the crowds were concerned. Presumably the contestants might have been happier had the snow been a little less sticky. On the whole, however, it would have been hard to have picked a better day all around. The different events called forth keen competition.

When the points were counted up it was discovered that the following had won the different awards and honors: The High School Cup was won again by Norway; and the Grammar School by South Waterford. Dwight Sawin had with 15 points won the Parish Cup given to the highest point winner within the Parish. Ruth Bull with 13 points had won the Sunday School Cup given by the Parish Staff for the member of one of the Parish Sunday Schools winning the highest number of points. The new emblem bought by the Outing Club this year to be presented to the winning team of High School Girls was carried off by the team from South Paris High. Once again Lloyd Witham was crowned king of the Carnival. In the Queen's contest Ruth Bull and Diana Burnham won the highest number of points in competition, but with a good showing in the events she entered, and a large popular vote, the Queen's honor went to Erma Rich of North Waterford.

As usual the Odd Fellows' Hall was crowded for the evening's events; the crowning of the Queen, the presentation of prizes and the awarding of trophies, and the Carnival Drama, "Second Story Peggy." Music before the play was furnished by Mrs. Chadbourn of Bridgton, and her troupe of singers and instrumentalists. Frank Pike, Jr., played two trumpet solos. Miss Arlene Watson and Harlan Rowe sang between the acts. The play was one that held the audience until the very end in suspense before a happy ending solved a perplexing situation. The Carnival play had also been presented on Friday evening, followed by the Carnival Frolic and Mardi Gras. Those taking part in the play, and we want to say that all the parts were very well taken, were as follows:

Mrs. Delancy, Winola Brown
Billy Durand, Earle Brown
Daisy, Helen Crouse
Murphy, the Cop, Lawrence Brown
Helen Henderson, Barbara Fillebrown
Kenneth Sterling, Raynor Brown
Peggy, Doris Hunt
Dexter, Herbert Kittredg
It was a good Carnival and our hearty thanks are given to those who worked hard to make it so.

Miss Sylvia Merrill entertained three former classmates at her home Wednesday evening. Flinch was enjoyed and refreshments served. The guests were Mrs. Donald Stanley, Miss Elizabeth Bean, and Miss Florine Bean.

Wildlife Week Set For Mar. 20-26

"Maine with its great wildlife interests is naturally concerned in all worthwhile steps for conservation," Governor Lewis O. Barrows said today in announcing National Wildlife Restoration Week in Maine, March 20-26.

The purpose of the week, as outlined by the Governor, will be to afford a permanent method of financing the national, state and local federations and to acquaint the public with the facts of the crisis that exists regarding wildlife on the North American continent.

The Week is sponsored by the general Wildlife Federation, which has a membership of five million people. It is an organization uniting all conservation forces into one powerful body that will by its voting strength and power when called upon locally or nationally, demand non-political, fair and intelligent handling of the country's natural resources.

Mrs. Burton L. Preston of Portland is director for Maine of Wildlife Week activities. Governor Barrows will serve as honorary chairman of the Maine committee of the General Wildlife Federation.

Fish and game associations, shooting clubs, garden clubs, civic organizations, 4-H Clubs, and all other groups interested in conservation will join in observance of the week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Childs from Saturday to Tuesday were Mrs. Donald Preble, Miss Nan Wall, Winthrop Newcomb and Wing Marshall of Needham and Dover, Mass.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Town Budget Committee at the Selectmen's Office, Saturday, Feb. 26, at two p. m.

Committee: Ernest F. Blisbee, Carroll E. Abbott, John H. Howe, F. E. Russell, J. P. Butts, H. N. Head, Guy Bartlett, H. C. Rowe, L. E. Davis, F. F. Bean, I. L. Carver, Bert Brown

This is a Good Time
to put in
SLABS AND EDGINGS.
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ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. J. S. Hutchins announces the engagement of her granddaughter, Miss Rita Hutchins to Richard Davis.

Miss Hutchins is the daughter of the late Howard and Lulu Cummings Hutchins of Bethel. She graduated from Gould Academy in the class of 1937. She is employed in the office of L. E. Davis.

Mr. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Davis. He was educated in the local schools, graduating from Gould Academy in 1934 and Wentworth Institute in 1937. He is associated with his father in the lumber business.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Gould Quintet In Lewiston Tourney

Gould Academy has been picked to play in the annual Lewiston High Small School Tournament. The local quint is scheduled to meet Thomaston High School at four p. m. on Friday. Basketball fans can well remember that sensational game played between Gould and Thomaston in 1934 when the local boys emerged victors 33-32 in one of the best played games in the tourney. Not much is known of Thomaston around here but the Bethel team is working hard preparing for another tough engagement. Whether the seven day lay-off due to the scarlet fever scare will hurt the team remains to be seen. Both Johnson and Brown are handicapped by colds and the fact that the team is not well supplied with reserves makes things look rather dubious in a tourney.

The Tourney this year brings together a really strong array of small schools and there apparently is no outstanding team or Tourney favorite. The team that wins will have to play three real battles and play them at their best.

The following are the pairings for the first round games to be played on Friday.

3 p. m. Fryeburg vs. Scarborough
4 p. m. Gould vs. Thomaston
8 p. m. Hallowell vs. Falmouth
9 p. m. Livermore Falls vs. So. Paris

WIGHT-BEAN

The wedding of George L. Wight and Miss Mary A. Bean took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Bean, Sunday River, on Monday evening, Feb. 14. The ceremony was performed by Gerard S. Williams, Justice of the Peace.

The bride was educated in the Newry schools, graduating from Gould Academy in 1935. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Wight of North Newry and was graduated at Gould Academy in 1933.

MEXICO QUINT COMING HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday the much looked forward to game with the Mexico Pintos will be played at the William Bingham Gymnasium. Fryeburg Academy, Gould and Mexico are now tied for the lead in the Western Maine Conference, each having been defeated twice. Much depends on the outcome of the Gould-Mexico game. The winner of this contest should, unless upset by a lesser opponent, end in a first place tie with Fryeburg.

Bethel fans are waiting for this contest eagerly. They know that a real battle is on hand that should provide thrills galore. The biggest crowd of the year is expected and it is hoped the Bethel Band will be out to again help entertain the crowd.

Watch the posters for the starting time of the games as it is not known for certain whether the Mexico second team will be here to play the preliminary.

When the antifreeze mixture in E. M. Walker's car became ignited Tuesday afternoon, the wiring, radiator, hood and grill were badly damaged. The fire went out after this damage was done without spreading to the body of the car.

Daughter of Early Settlers Passes With Death of Anna T. French

Anna Twitchell French passed away at her home on Church Street early Monday morning after a few weeks illness. She was born in Bethel, May 1, 1856, the daughter of Dr. Almon and Phoebe Buxton Twitchell. She was educated in the town schools and at Gould Academy.

In September, 1876, she married Sidney Irving French of Gilead, who passed away in 1924. She was a member of the Universalist Church and a charter member of Sunset Rebekah Lodge, and for many years was an officer of that order.

Mrs. French was a sister of the late Dr. George M. Twitchell, well-known lecturer and agriculturist, and of the late Miss Alice Gray Twitchell, who was for nearly 40 years matron of the state hospital at Augusta. Her great grandfather, Eleazer Twitchell, was the first white child born in Bethel and was captured by the Indians in the raid of August, 1781, but managed to escape.

She is survived by a son, George H. French of Turner; a daughter, Mrs. D. R. Smith of Bethel; five grandchildren, Harold B. French and Mrs. Ralph Banks of Auburn, Robert I. French of Augusta, Mrs. Dorothy Tibert of Turner, Miss Marcia Smith of Bethel; and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral home Wednesday afternoon, the Rebekahs attending in a body. Bearers were

George French, Robert French, Arthur Brinck, and Harry Sawin.

ANNA TWITCHELL FRENCH
Born, May 1, 1856
Died, Feb. 21, 1938

Her whole life, a long span of full and useful years, was lived in the house where she was born. Her parents were pioneers and she had great pride in the traditions of her family and her native town. She was well-versed in the history of our early settlers and her keen recollections were of frequent service.

Mrs. French was most deserving of the title "neighbor" in its fullest meaning. Hers was a kind and a generous nature, sincere and trustworthy. Blessed with the gift of quick sympathy and understanding she was a welcome visitor in the homes of sick and well, and her mission in the village was bringing cheer.

The limitations accompanying old age distressed her only as they restricted her service to others. For herself she cared little. We rejoice that her days of helplessness were few, well-knowing that she grieved at forced inactivity. As a kind, reverent, humble and helpful friend leaves us we mourn her passing and give thanks for the blessings she bestowed during many years.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral home on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Weston Cate of Auburn preaching. Interment was beside her husband and daughter at Woodlawn Cemetery.

MRS. ROXIE C. FRENCH

Mrs. Roxie Cummings French died Monday at her home in Oxford, after an illness of several months.

She was born at Albany June 27, 1841, the daughter of Leonard and Mary Pingree Cummings. After completing school she went to Oxford, where she was employed as housekeeper.

On Nov. 27, 1887, she was married to Miles A. French. After his death in 1895 she conducted a lodging house for many years and acted as housekeeper in several homes.

Mrs. French was a member of the Congregational Church and until last summer was a regular attendant, walking the half mile from her home to the church.

She is survived by a brother, Newman Cummings of Melrose, Mass.; a sister, Mrs. Ella Gould of Bethel; two nephews, Herbert Bean of Bethel and Perry Bean of Denver, Colorado; and a niece, Mrs. David Burnham of North Andover, Mass.

The funeral was held at Staples undertaking parlors at Welchville. Burial was at Albany cemetery.

Those from Bethel attending the funeral of Mrs. Roxie French at Welchville Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert I. Bean, Mrs. Harry Jordan, Mrs. Edith Grover and Mrs. Olive Wood.

MRS. MARY E. BANGHART

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Mary E. Banghart, widow of Rev. Charles L. Banghart at Portland, Tuesday. She was born at Winterport, Oct. 9, 1863, the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Chase and from an early age took active part in church affairs.

In November, 1897, she married Mr. Banghart and was active in all organizations of his churches, being a member of the Missionary and Ladies' Aid societies and training the children in concert work.

For a number of years about 30 years ago, Mr. Banghart was pastor of the local Methodist Church. After the death of her husband in Berne, N. Y., in 1927, Mrs. Banghart lived at Monmouth several years, later going to Portland. In 1928, she suffered a slight stroke, but was able to continue a few of her church duties.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Harry Greenleaf of Portland. Funeral services are held at Monmouth this Thursday morning and burial will be at Berne, N. Y.

Nomination Papers Must Be Filed Sat.

A late report from the Town Clerk's office indicates that no contests for town office are evident yet. Nearly all of the present officials have taken out nomination papers however, and contestants have a day or two yet to take out papers. We understand that all nomination papers must be filed in and returned to the Clerk by Saturday night.

S. of U. V. and AUXILIARY CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

Mrs. Asa Bartlett was hostess to a supper Wednesday evening at her home. Eighteen members of the Sons of Veterans and Auxiliary were present. Following the supper there were readings and clippings on Washington and Lincoln, then Flinch was enjoyed. A cake was presented to four members whose birthdays come in February with an appropriate poem.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE BETHEL LIBRARY IN JANUARY

Juvenile
Given by Stanley Allen
Flower Fables, Louisa May Alcott
Boy Scouts Test of Courage, Archibald Lee Fletcher
Boy Scouts Beyond the Arctic Circle, Harvey G. Ralphson
Canoe Boys and Campfires, W. M. Graydon
Now or Never, Oliver Optic
Jack Winter's Campmates, Mark Overton
Dick Kent with the Mounted Police, Milton Richards
The Black Skimmer, Philip Hart
Phil Bradley's Winning Ways, Silas R. Boone
Buffalo Bill, the Boys' Friend, Elmer Sherwood
The Banner Boy Scouts Snowbound, Geo. A. Warren
The Magic Soap Bubble, David Cory
Adult
My Favorite Story, Fannie Hurst and others

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston left Saturday on a motor trip to Mexico City. They plan to return about April 1st.
Margaret Joy Tibbetta heads the Freshman honor roll at Wheaton College with average rank of 91.37. She is also one of the two Freshmen to make the Varsity basketball team.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1938

BETHEL NEEDS
More and Better Sidewalks—winter
and summer
Night Watchman—All the Year
Enforced Traffic Rules

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner
Pails, Dividend Checks and Tax
Bills of Every Individual, National
and International Problems
Inseparable from Local Welfare

The brief convention of "little
business" men at Washington—
called there at the request of the
President, who said that he wanted
the views of ordinary, run-of-the-
mill industrialists—"began in tur-
moil and finished the same way,"
as the Portland Oregonian put it.
Proceedings on the floor of the
convention took on the nature of a
riot, with scores of men all trying
to speak at the same time. As a re-
sult, newspaper headlines very natu-
rally treated the meeting as
something of a joke. This was un-
fortunate for, after the leveler
heads among the delegates man-
aged to assume a measure of con-
trol over the rioters, and the con-
vention was divided into commit-
tees to deal with specific questions,
some reports were produced and
approved that are of tremendous
significance.

It has long been an argument of
Administration spokesmen that the
bulk of the opposition to new deal
policies comes from big business—
that is, a group small in number
but large in wealth and influence.
These spokesmen have contended
that representative American small
business was and is solidly aligned
behind the Administration and its
social and economic objectives. Up
to now, anyone could dispute that
contention, but it was impossible to
disprove it. The convention of lit-
tle business men has gone a long
way toward indicating that their
opposition is equally as strong.

The convention was made up of
men who are representative of
small business sentiment in this
country; the delegates came from
all sections of the country, and
represented concerns grossing any-
where from \$10,000 a year to
\$1,000,000. By and large, the con-
vention's final reports contained
direct and aggressive criticism of
the New Deal policies they criticized
most scathingly are particularly the
policies that have been condemned
by large business leaders.

The convention demanded the re-
peal of the underemployed profits
tax and radical modification of the
excess profits tax, the two taxes
which, according to the business-
men, are largely responsible for indus-
trial lethargy and the business
slump.

It demanded the repeal or radical
amendment of the Wagner Act
(National Labor Relations Act)
and passage of a law to make labor
unions to assume a legal responsi-
bility with respect to carrying
out agreements or demands which
is clearly on the side of a large per-
centage of smaller demands made by big
steel, automobile and other con-
cerns.

It demanded that Government in-
terfering with business be ended
and advocated a policy of "leave
them to their place. Again, this is
something that large business has
been asking for four years.

There were also many other de-
mands made by the convention,
and from proposals of a less gen-
eral nature such as that Govern-
ment make low-interest loans to
small businesses. Further, the

speeches made on the floor of the
convention were often strongly cri-
tical of the Administration, and, in
some cases, of an outright denun-
ciatory character. In brief, if, as
it is supposed to have been, this
convention was honestly represen-
tative of American industry on its
lower economic levels, the New
Deal is definitely unpopular. The
convention's reports have gone to
the White House. What effect they
will produce on the Presidential
mind is one big question of the mo-
ment.

"Jackson vs. Richberg in a fight
to a finish. The Battle of the Cen-
tury."

You'll probably never see that in
headlines—but it accurately de-
picts an epic conflict that is going
on today in the beautifully planned
city by the Potomac.

Robert Jackson, recently pro-
moted from Assistant Attorney
General in charge of the anti-trust
division, to the Solicitor General's
ship left vacant by Stanley Reed's

elevation to the Supreme Court, is
one of the closest Presidential ad-
visors. He opened the current anti-
monopoly campaign. Generally
speaking, he favors highly aggres-
sive tactics toward business, an ex-
tension of governmental control,
and a policy of swift reprisal
against those who oppose the ends
of the Administration.

Donald Richberg, once head of
the defunct NRA, is another man
close to the President. Mr. Rich-
berg is now a prominent Washing-
ton lawyer, with an important
practice. He favors a policy of con-
ciliation and cooperation with busi-
ness, to the end that regulation
may come more from within, and
less from without.

Both of these men are seen fre-
quently at the White House, both
have easy access to the Executive
ear. Will the President finally ac-
cept Jackson's views, or take Rich-
berg's instead, or compromise be-
tween the two? Whatever answer
is made to that question will pro-
foundly affect the course of gov-
ernment in this country.

North Newry

Daniel Wight was at home over
Sunday.

J. B. Vail has been confined to
the house the past week with a bad
cold.

The Men's Club met at the
Grange Hall, Newry Corner, Tues-
day night. Supper was served at
6:30 by the Ladies' Aid. Frances
Davis in charge. Commissioner
Frank P. Washburn was the
speaker.

Rev. and Mrs. John Fitzpatrick
were calling in town Tuesday af-
ternoon.

L. E. Wight and Joseph Chapman
attended the funeral of Elias F.
Peaslee at Upton, Wednesday af-
ternoon.

Mrs. Hartley Hanscom and am-
ply went to Locke Mills, Sunday.
Donald Fraser was in town the
last of the week.

Henry Enman has two more
teams hauling pulp from the
woods. One pair of horses is kept
at Hartly Hanscom's.

SCHOOL NOTES

Magalloway Primary Room

Pupils receiving 100 % in Arith-
metic during the past week were:
Grade One—Royden Lancaster.

In Spelling the following pupils
received a grade of 100%: Grade
One—Doris Cloukia, Clifton Little-
hale, Jr.; Grade Two—Clarice Lan-
caster, Velma Cloukia; Grade Five
—Maynard Stone; Grade Six—
Thelma Stone.

DODGE AND PLYMOUTH CARS

DODGE TRUCKS

1/2 to 5 Ton

O. K. CLIFFORD CO. INC.
SOUTH PARIS

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

To Carl L. Brown, a Citizen of the Town of Bethel in
Oxford County.

GREETINGS:—In the name of the State of Maine, you
are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of
the Town of Bethel, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet
in Odeon Hall in said Town of Bethel on Monday, the
seventh day of March, 1938, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon to
act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose by ballots the following Town officers
for the ensuing year in accordance with Sections 38 to 52 in-
clusive of Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes of Maine and all
acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto to wit: Town
Clerk, Three Selectmen, Three Assessors, Three Overseers of
the Poor, Treasurer, one member of School Committee for
three years, Tax Collector, Road Commissioner, and Auditor.
The polls or ballot box for receiving ballots for the above
mentioned offices shall be closed at 12:30 P. M.
- Art. 3. To hear and act on reports of the several town
officers.
- Art. 4. To establish the price the Selectmen, the Asses-
sors, the Overseers of the Poor, shall receive for their
services.
- Art. 5. To establish the price the Road Commissioner
shall receive for his services.
- Art. 6. To establish the price the Town Clerk shall re-
ceive for services.
- Art. 7. To establish the price to be paid for collecting
taxes, for the ensuing year.
- Art. 8. To choose all other necessary Town officers.
- Art. 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for support of Common Schools, for the year 1938.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for Secondary Schools, for the year 1938.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for textbooks, for the year 1938.
- Art. 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for school supplies, for the year 1938.
- Art. 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for repairs on schoolhouses, for the year 1938.
- Art. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for insurance on schoolhouses, for the year 1938.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for services of a School Physician.
- Art. 16. To see if the sum of \$151.00, or more, will be
raised for school nursing in the town of Bethel to be expend-
ed under the auspices of the Bureau of Health of the State
Department of Health and Welfare.
- Art. 17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for salary of School Superintendent.
- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for repair of Roads and bridges, for the year 1938.
- Art. 19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for Winter Roads, for the year 1938.
- Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$1,500.00 for Tarvia for Village Streets.
- Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$500.00 for Tarvia to be applied on the North West Bethel
Road from Highway Route No. 2 past Riverside Cemetery.
- Art. 22. To see what sum the town will appropriate for
State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts
regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges)
under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Sta-
tutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter
229, Public Laws of 1937.
- Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$1021.23, and amount being the Town's portion for main-
tenance of State Highways during the year 1938 under pro-
visions of Section 9, Chapter 130, Public Laws 1913, and
Section 9, Chapter 119, Public Laws 1935.
- Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$1191.00 to entitle the Town to Third Class Highway
funds as provided in Sections 44 and 46, Chapter 28, Re-
vised Statutes 1930 as amended by Sections 4 and 5 of Chap-
ter 229, Public Laws 1937.
- Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise to continue a W. P. A. Project.
- Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise
the sum of \$500.00 to lay a surface drain on Park Street be-
ginning at Church Street near the Universalist Church.
- Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise for the maintenance of sewers, for the year 1938.

Art. 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for support of poor, for the year 1938.

Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise for Town Officers' Bills, for the year 1938.

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$161.50 to take care of abatements as made by the Asses-
sors.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise for Memorial Day observance, said money to be
expended by Col. C. S. Edwards Camp, Sons of Veterans.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum
of \$200.00 to be expended to assist in the maintenance of the
Bethel Band.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum
of \$200.00 to be used, if necessary, with funds from the Fed-
eral Government to continue the Pine Blister Project in the
Town of Bethel.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum
of \$200.00 to be expended and used for advertising the natu-
ral resources, advantages and attractions of the Town of
Bethel. This amount, if granted, to be expended by the
Bethel Chamber of Commerce.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum
of \$50.00 to pay for Treasurer's Bond.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum
of \$25.00 to pay for Collector's Bond.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise for expense of fire pumper and fires for 1938.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise to buy additional fire hose in 1938.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote and raise the sum
of \$50.00 to be expended for the care of old cemeteries dur-
ing the year 1938.

Art. 40. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise for miscellaneous expenses.

Art. 41. To see what sum of money the Town will vote
and raise to procure from the Bethel Library Association the
free use of books during the coming year for all the inhabi-
tants of the Town, under such restrictions and regulations as
shall insure the safety and good use of the books.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the Town will grant
and raise to care for the interest on notes and temporary
loans for 1938.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer
to obtain money by loan to pay the debts of the Town, and
to take up outstanding notes against the Town or to renew
the same with new notes, and to execute and deliver the
notes of the Town therefor signed by its Treasurer and
countersigned by the municipal officers of the Town.

Art. 44. To see if the Town, for the purpose of procuring
a temporary loan to, and for the use of, the Town of Bethel
to pay indebtedness of said Town due and to become due
during the present municipal year, the same to be paid out
of money raised by taxation during the present municipal
year, will authorize and direct its Treasurer to borrow from
time to time a sum of money, or sums of money, not exceed-
ing \$50,000, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of
the Town therefor signed by its Treasurer and counter-
signed by the municipal officers of the Town.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the
Selectmen and Treasurer to sell and convey real estate
owned by the Town under Tax deeds or under tax liens to
such persons for such prices and upon such terms as said
Selectmen and Treasurer in their judgment and discretion
may determine for the best interest of the Town and to exe-
cute in behalf of the inhabitants of said Town such deeds or
other instruments of conveyance as may be required to com-
plete such sales and conveyances.

Art. 46. To see if the Town will authorize the Modera-
tor to appoint a committee of 12 to be known as the Budget
Committee.

To transact any other business that may legally come
before the meeting.

Hereof fail not and have you there this warrant with
your doings thereon.

Given under our hands at Bethel this 12th day of Feb-
ruary, A. D. 1938

ERNEST F. BISBEE
CARROLL E. ABBOTT
JOHN H. HOWE

Selectmen of Bethel.

A true copy attest: Carl L. Brown.

The Selectmen will be in their office on Saturday, the
5th day of March, for the purpose of correcting the list of
voters of the Town of Bethel and hearing and deciding the
cases of applicants desiring the right to have their names
on the voting list.

THE LO HICKO

The bosses of
the women and
worked for him
But there is a
think they are
household, but
not bother about
think so.
And to find
ruled their ro-



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Chief.
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The bosses of this country, it is the women and it is O. K., and has worked for hundreds of years.

But there is a million fellers who think they are the boss in their household, but the Mrs., she does not bother about that—she lets 'em think so.

And to find out how many men ruled their roost, a commercial club down south, it made a re-search. And they got some chickens and some horses for prizes, and a committee started callin' at places and they gave a chicken to each feller who was bossed by his wife, and a



horse to a feller who was the big Chief.

And at the end of the day, they were about out of chickens but had given away no horses. And then they run into a feller who claimed he was boss, so they said, you win a horse. And they asked him to pick out one—he could choose a white one or a black one. And the feller hesitated and scratched his head, and he said, wait here just a minute—I will ask my wife.

So they gave him a chicken.

Yours, with the low down,
JO SERRA

ALDER RIVER GRANGE

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting Monday evening with 13 members present. Two candidates were instructed in the work of the first and second degrees.

Edith Howe, Florence Hastings and Ruth Hastings were appointed the committee for Harvest Supper to be served at the next meeting.

It was voted to send a sunshine box to Brother Laurence Tyler. Marguerite Bartlett, J. C. Bartlett, R. D. Hastings, were appointed to get the box ready.

A program was given after the close of the meeting.

Roll Call

Tap Dance, Joseph Holt

One minute play — Malcolm Far-

well, Mellen Kimball, Rodney

Howe, Charlie Knight

Stories of Washington and Lincoln,

Alta Brooks

Amateur Hour,

Robert Hastings and entertainers

A food sale netted, \$1.86. Ice

cream was served.

West Bethel

Mrs. George Walters returned to her home in Millinocket after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Delmont Harding.

Clarence Bennett entertained a party of ladies at his lumber camp in Hanover last Friday. A very nice dinner was enjoyed by all and bridge was played in the afternoon. Those who went were Mrs. Clara Abbott and Mrs. Ella Bennett, Mrs. Libbie Kneeland and Mrs. Violet Bennett, Laura Bennett and Joseph Kneeland.

Mrs. James Westleigh is caring for Mrs. Harry Head.

Mrs. Frank Hale was a caller on Mrs. Paul Head, Monday.

Fred Coley, who has been visiting his sister in Middletown, Conn., has returned home.

Mrs. Cora Brown was home from West Paris, Sunday.

The Farm Bureau will meet with Mrs. George Bennett, Thursday.

Allen McKenzie, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is much better.

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East Bethel

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Norman Johnson and William Howe have been at John Howe's the past week during the enforced vacation at Gould Academy.

Mrs. Evelyn Harrington was called to Lewiston, Friday, by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Smith, at the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mrs. Linnie Swan Hutchinson of Dixfield, formerly of this place, was taken to a Boston hospital, Saturday, after being in Rumford Hospital for treatment.

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Maude Benson received a word from her sister, Mrs. Rose Hamilton of Haverhill, Mass., who has been seriously ill in the hospital. She is somewhat improved and is in hopes to be able to come here in the spring for an indefinite stay.

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A COLUMBIA PICTURE

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Jim Guthrie, sponsor of the opera season in Buenos Aires, comes to New York to persuade Elsa Terry, famed opera singer, to live up to her contract to sing there. Without knowing his connection with the company, Elsa falls in love with him and, believing he loves her too, allows herself to be "kidnapped" and placed on a boat for South America. On shipboard Jim learns of her love and discovers that he loves her, too. A telegram to Elsa discloses Jim's association with the opera company and she berates him for courting her under false colors. When the ship docks Elsa is again with an intention which Jim learns up. Elsa's aunt has flown to the Argentine to meet her and bring her back to New York. Elsa refuses to go, however, saying that she'll fulfill her contract as she has learned to hate a cheat above everything else.

Now Go on With the Story

Chapter Six

Elsa began rehearsals for her appearance with the opera company after first stipulating that she would not work if Jim appeared at the theatre. In the evenings in the company of attentive Argentine ladies, she visited Buenos Aires' night spots.



"Elsa, I'm afraid I'm in love with you."
(Poised by Grace Moore and Melvyn Douglas.)

One evening complaining of a headache, she left her aunt and Jim at a night club and started home with one of her escorts. After they had driven for about fifteen minutes Elsa looked out the car window and saw that they had left the city and were driving into the country.

"Take me back to my hotel immediately," she stormed. "You can't do this to me!"

Her escort smiled. "But I have already done it, amorita," he said. "He assured, you will not be harmed."

They drove on until they came to a low rambling hacienda. Elsa was escorted into a charmingly furnished den or living room off the patio. The door was closed and looked. Almost at once the soft strains of a guitar came floating through an open window. Elsa looked out and discovered Jim, smilingly strumming a romantic tune.

Elsa was furious. "You!" she cried. "Why have you done this to me?"

Jim grinned at her. "You'll be amazed when I tell you," he said. "Elsa, would you believe it? I'm afraid I'm in love with you."

"Do you expect me to believe that?" Elsa demanded.

"Of course not. That's why I brought you here — to prove it."

"How?" Elsa asked defiantly.

"By keeping you here until after the opening tomorrow night. Your failure to appear will not only lose me money. I'll lose my friends and the respect of the community which has come to be my home."

"Yet I'm not a singer. I don't know a note of music. And that means I can't sing for you."

"You've made me," Jim said. "Get out the car," he said. "You're driving Miss Terry back to town."

Pancho looked at him sleepily. "You're crazy!" he said. "Why, you brought her out here to —"

"It's no use, Pancho," Jim interrupted. "I'm all washed up. She hates me."

On the way back to town Elsa was burning with curiosity. "Why did Jim let me go?" she asked.

Pancho shrugged. "He's closing the ranch and going away. He didn't want to leave you there to starve." Pancho replied and then added with sarcasm, "Why, I don't know."

Elsa glared at him angrily. "Thanks!" she said. Then she softened again. "Where's he going?"

"Some place where there are no prima donnas — I hope," Pancho retorted. Without a word Elsa reached down and snapped off the ignition of the car.

"Hey!" Pancho cried, "what's the big idea?"

As the car sputtered to a stop by the roadside Elsa turned to Pancho and smiled. "You and I are going to have a long talk," she announced.

Elsa's singing of "Butterfly" the next night was a triumph. Jim, hidden away in an obscure seat in the balcony, listened to her eagerly and his pulse quickened at the thunderous ovation that greeted her when the opera was ended.

In the foyer he found Pancho waiting for him. "I'll drive you to the station," Pancho offered.

Jim shook his head. "I'll take a cab," he said. "I want you to take a note to her dressing room." He handed Pancho an envelope and shook his hand and started for the door. Pancho motioned to two men who had been lingering nearby.

As Jim stepped into the cab the two men jumped in after him. "Hey! What's the big idea?" Jim demanded.

One of the men pressed a revolver against Jim's side. "Keep quiet!" he ordered, then he turned to the taxi driver. "Drive on!" he said.

As they drove away the men bowed Jim's hands and blindfolded him. The car drove through the night for almost an hour and, at last, came to a sudden stop.

The men pulled Jim from the car and pushed him into the house. One of the men quickly untied Jim's hands and then ran out of the room, closing the door behind him. Jim tore off his blindfold and stared unbelievably about him. He was in his own house! In the very room where he had held Elsa prisoner the day before.

Suddenly the soft strains of a guitar floated through the window. Jim looked out and saw Elsa sitting there, a gaucho's hat on her head and a serape over her shoulder. As Jim watched her she walked slowly to the door, opened it and came into the room. She dropped the guitar as Jim rushed to her and took her in his arms. A diffident cough from the window interrupted their kiss.

It was Pancho. He smiled happily and handed a bottle of champagne and glasses through the window to Jim.

"This is on the house," he said.

THE END.

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Milton

The Soap Club met with Mrs. Florice Poland with all members present but one, and a pleasant afternoon was enjoyed.

Sunday callers at Clarence Jackson's were Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mann and Miss Wood of Bryant Pond, Miss Vivian Brown and mother and Miss Bess Higgins of Rumford.

Gay Poland spent the week end with Fay Billings.

Mrs. Charles Cone has just finished a postage stamp quilt of over six thousand pieces, a very beautiful quilt.

Lee Billings is working in the mill at Locke Mills.

John Emery is boarding at Earl Buck's.

STATE OF MAINE
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said February. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of March, A. D. 1938, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Mary G. Chapman, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Gilman Chapman and Iva K. Chapman as executors of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Gilman Chapman and Iva K. Chapman, the executors therein named.

J. Otis Bates, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Virginia E. Estes, executrix.

Addie M. Gordon, otherwise known as Adelaide M. Gordon, late of Bethel, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Fred E. Gordon, administrator.

Willard H. Mason, otherwise known as W. H. Mason, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Bertha T. Mason as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Bertha T. Mason, the executrix therein named.

Silas F. Peaslee, late of Upton, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ellery C. Park as executor of the same, with bond, presented by Ellery C. Park, the executor therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

16 EARLER CLIFFORD, Register.

STATE OF MAINE.
County of Oxford, ss.

To Clarence A. Lafoy, Lee A. Lafoy, and Alice M. Lafoy, all of Canton, in the said County of Oxford. Whereas, Clarence A. Lafoy, Lee A. Lafoy, and Alice M. Lafoy, on the 23rd day of August 1930, mortgaged to H. L. Dyke of Livermore Falls, County of Androscoggin, the following personal property: One Guernsey cow nine years old, one Jersey cow nine years old, one black horse eight years old, one bay stallion nine years old, one bay horse, twelve years old, one black horse twelve years old, one set double harnesses, one set double sled, one double wagon. One black and white Jersey calf, to secure payment of five hundred twenty-five dollars and no cents which mortgage is recorded in the town records of the Town of Canton, Book 12, Pages 93-94; and whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, now therefore, notice is hereby given of my intention to foreclose said mortgage for breach of its conditions.

(Signed) H. L. DYKE
December 24th, 1937.

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Greenwood Center

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Glenn Martin, who was badly burned by fire two weeks ago is about and expects to be able to work again in a week.

Miss Muriel Cole was a week end visitor at her sister's, Mrs. Gerald Robinson's at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin and family are spending a few weeks at R. L. Martin's.

Othello Buck was at his home at West Paris during the week end.

Upton
Clarence Delong has finished his pulp job and gone to Concord, N. H., to cook.

Joseph McGillen and Roland Coulombe of Berlin spent the week end at their camp.

Miss Myrtle Pratt was home over the week end.

M. J. Marshall has finished his logging job and has moved back to his home in Bethel.

The Grange whist party was not as well attended as usual. Ice cream and cake were served after the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Casey of Rumford were Sunday guests of her brother, William Barnett, and family.

Several from town attended the lecture on World Peace given by Gaylord Douglass at Bear River Grange Hall, Sunday at 3 P. M.

The Men's Club meeting will be at Bear River Grange Hall at Newry Corner, Tuesday evening of this week with Frank P. Washburn, Commissioner of Agriculture, as chief speaker.

Miss Clarissa Farrar of Princeton, Maine, has been spending a few days at the home of the late S. F. Peaslee, packing furniture and other household goods, which were left to her by the will of her aunt, Mrs. S. F. Peaslee, who passed away a few years ago.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS
The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

William C. Garey, otherwise W. C. Garey, late of Bethel, deceased; Elizabeth E. Garey of Bethel, executrix with bond. Feb. 15, 1938.

Albion L. Holt, late of Bethel, deceased; Vera L. Haskell of Portland, Maine, executrix without bond. Feb. 15, 1938.

Dorothy I. Hutchinson, late of Bethel, deceased; Hattie E. Hutchinson of Bethel, administratrix with bond, Jan. 18, 1938.

Edward N. Robertson, late of Bethel, deceased; Cora A. Robertson of Bethel, executrix without bond. Feb. 15, 1938.

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East Stoneham

All the parish men's club met at the K. of P. Hall, Monday night. The speaker was Gaylord Douglass, Secretary of the National Council for Prevention of War. Refreshments were served by a committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Errol Barker took their little girl, who is less than two years old, to the C. M. G. Hospital at Lewiston, Sunday, to have her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Solon McAllister visited her sister and family at Bridgton, Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid Sewing Bee met at the home of Mrs. Edith Chaplin Thursday. There were twenty-five present.

Willis Warren has traded his Essex car for a V-8 Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker drove to Lewiston, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Warren, Wilma Warren, Doris, Frances and Eleanor Files were dinner guests of Joste Taylor, Sunday.

W. A. Hersey has started work in his mill and is saving birch. The mill has been shut down all winter while his men were working in the woods.

All the Stoneham young people attended the carnival at North Waterford Saturday and reported a very nice day.

Solon McAllister has been papering and painting for Mrs. George McAllister.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Barrett, who has been staying at her camp for the past few weeks, has returned to Norway.

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Next week The Citizen starts the story of
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News of the

Oxford County United Parish

Saturday evening a Deputation Team from Bates College is going to conduct a social for the young people of the Parish at the Wilkins Community House, Watford. Sunday morning the Deputation Team will also assist in the Church Services.

We are expecting that the Young People will go to Billy Hersey's home, North Watford, and he will lead the meeting.

Monday evening, at the Wilkins House, the Watford Men's club will hold a "Budget Meeting" to talk over the articles of the Town Meeting Warrant. All of the citizens of the town are invited.

The Parish Men's Clubs met on Monday evening of this week at East Stoneham to hear Dr. Gaylord Douglass. A large number of men were present to enjoy the talk he gave. Refreshments were served by the East Stoneham men.

Following their supper next Tuesday evening the North Watford Circle will give an Old Folks' Concert, "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party."

Rowe Hill—Greenwood

Mrs. Newton Bryant has been sick. Dr. Smalley was called to see her Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dunham were dinner guests at Newton Bryant's on Thursday. Mrs. Colby Ring and Mrs. Glenn Martin called in the afternoon.

Mr. Woods, the Watkins man, Emery, the Rawleigh man and Starbird, the Grand Union Tea man were all through here last week. Albert Ring has returned to his work on the mill yard at Locke Mills.

Glenn Martin of Greenwood Center called in the neighborhood on Saturday afternoon.

Ernest and Francis Brooks attended the Grange meeting, Saturday evening.

Ernest Brooks is working at Lockes Mills for Ray Hanscom.



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Albert Ring and Francis Brooks visited Ray Hanscom, Saturday evening. The evening was passed playing cards.

Carl Brooks of Trap Corner has been hauling sawdust for Mont Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross and Miss Charlotte Cole called at Newton Bryant's, Sunday.

Mrs. Colby Ring visited Mrs. Sidney Ring at Bryant Pond, Monday.

South Albany

Mrs. Marion Langway, Mrs. Eva Ring and Mrs. Ethel Fullerton were in Norway, shopping, Monday afternoon.

Miss Betty Hill, a student at Bryant & Stratton's Business College in Boston was a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, over the week end and holiday.

Sunday callers at Roy Wardwell's were as follows: Mrs. Colby Robinson, Miss Lucie Kimball from Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Allen.

Roy Wardwell and son Arthur are working in the mill at East Stoneham for Hersey and Allen.

Leon and Ivan Kimball are cutting yellow birch for R. E. Hill.

Some from here attended the Carnival drama at North Watford Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fiske were in South Paris last Friday. Mrs. Fiske attended a birthday party in the afternoon.

There have been several cattle buyers through this place recently.

West Paris

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes will use for her subject, Sunday morning, "The Oneness," it being Unity Sunday when all members and their families are expected to attend in conformity with the February Enrollment Month.

The union Young People's Meeting, Sunday evening sponsored by the Ministerial Association held at the Universalist church was a great success. More than 300 were present. Dr. Gaylord C. Douglass, Secretary New England Council Prevention of War, of Springfield, Mass., gave a very able address. Rev. Rensel Colby of South Paris introduced the speaker. Rev. George Gledhill of Watford presided and offered prayer. Although Sunday evening was the fourth time on Sunday that Dr. Douglass had spoken he showed no fatigue and brought to his hearers a strong and convincing message. The men's 44 Class served cocoa.

William G. Metz, principal of the Mexico High School was speaker Layman's Sunday at the Universalist Church. Mr. Metz gave a very fine address which was greatly appreciated.

Mrs. G. L. Emery and Mrs. H. W. Welch were hostesses Thursday to the Friendly Class. Twenty were present and a pleasant afternoon enjoyed. Four dollars was realized from the penny lunch for the work of the class.

Mrs. Mildred Davis went to Portland Sunday to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. Spiller.

Mrs. Hiram Verrill is in Boston for medical advice.

It is heartening to West Paris people to know that the Finnish Syndicate will rebuild the buildings razed by fire. The building will be either of concrete or stone. The village had a narrow escape from a great conflagration as the fire engine became clogged with shavings which had washed into the pond and well from Penley Bros. mill. The Norway pumper made good time over the icy roads and saved further damage. Work began at once after the fire on the West Paris water system and it is now equipped for service.

Mrs. Edward Wilmet was called to Naguatauck, Conn., by the death of her grandfather.

Mrs. Frank Mayhew is at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where she underwent a major surgical operation. She is reported as improving.

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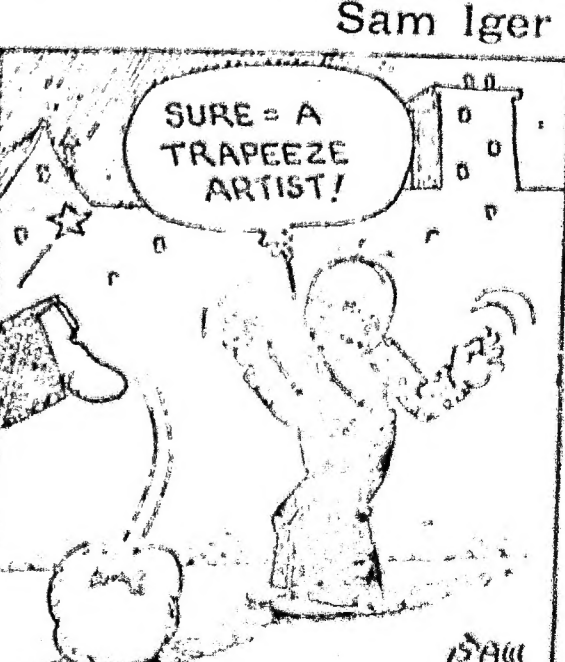
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GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

In order to complete the required number of hours equivalent to 26 weeks of school, Gould Academy will be open on Saturday mornings for five weeks, beginning Saturday, February 25.

All students who have transportation to the Tournament at Lewiston Friday afternoon will be excused at noon.

The following students gave declamations in the Assembly Hall on Wednesday morning of this week: Beatrice Canwell, Elizabeth Field, Raymond Ripley, Maurice Brooks, Esther Pike, Gordon Buck, Madelyn Bird, Julia Kasregis, Mildred Kasregis, and Helen Lowe.

Newry Corner

The Men's Club met at the Orange Hall, Tuesday night with a supper, after which Mr. Washburn, State Commissioner on Agriculture was guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingstone of Berlin were in town recently.

Farm Bureau met at the home of Mrs. Alice Walker on Wednesday. Subject of the meeting was Construction and Finishes and was in charge of Mrs. Vail.

Dr. Gaylord Douglass of Springfield, Mass., spoke on War Prevention at the Orange Hall, Sunday afternoon.

Several members of Bear River Grange attended the funeral services for Mrs. Parham at Bryant Pond, February 18.

Miss Clara Farrar of New York was in town recently as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Warren. She was called here by the death of Mr. Pringle at Upton.

Eleanor Learned and Bertha Olson were home over the week end and attended the Andover Carnival.

Josephine and Carlos Smith of Bethel were at their sister's, Mrs. Helma McPherson's, over the week end.

South Woodstock

Town meeting will soon be the main topic for a while. It is understood that "Beany" Roland Benson will run for road commissioner here in the south part of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harrold and son Stanley visited at Rumford on Sunday.

Edith Davis spent Saturday with Georgina and Flossie Buck at West Paris.

Miss Hazel Wood of Malden, Mass., is a guest this week at the home of Harlan Andrews.

Guests Saturday and Sunday at A. M. Andrews' were Bert Young of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Titus of South Paris.

Mrs. Flossie Perham, R. N., returned Sunday night to her work in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodsum and family returned to their home in Bangor, Mass., on Saturday.

Mrs. Lucile Jackson, who has been spending the winter with her parents, Mrs. Jessie Andrews, was taken suddenly ill last week. She was taken by ambulance to her home in Lewiston and is now in a very critical condition.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ernest Blahce was ill several days last week.

Bethel town reports were distributed Wednesday.

Dr. R. O. Hood and Virginia Little were at Andover Sunday.

Earl Davis returned home from Boston last Thursday night.

Mrs. Harry Billings of Milton visited Mrs. Ray Crockett recently.

Mrs. Frank Robertson and son Edward were in South Paris Sunday.

Miss Margaret Hamlin of Portland spent Saturday at her home here.

Miss Sally King of West Ossipee, N. H., is spending a few days in town.

Miss Dorothy Hanscom was in Norway and Westbrook for the week end.

Mrs. Mary E. Wilson of Berlin, arrived Wednesday to visit her son Dr. Harry M. Wilson.

Mrs. Norris Brown of Farmington visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Horrick, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Omer Drummond spent several days with relatives in South Portland recently.

P. J. Clifford returned Tuesday from a few days visit with his son, Richard, and family at Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey and sons of South Paris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bailey.

Miss Barbara Moore of Westbrook Junior College spent the week end at her home in town.

Miss Rosemond Foss of Peabody, Mass., was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young.

Miss Marilyn Marshall returned home Monday after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Emmet Buckley, at Berlin.

M. J. Marshall has finished his logging job at Upton and returned home.

Mary Lou, Betty and Rachel think that "Aunt Nell" makes the best lasses cookies of anyone in town.

It is reported that Lieut. James D. Alger of Fort Bliss, Texas, is to be transferred to the Philippine Islands April 1.

Hugh Brown, who has been working for Howard Bailey in Shelburne, has completed his duties and returned home.

Mrs. Bessie Reynolds of Sunday River spent a day recently with her mother, Mrs. Marion Spinney, and sister, Mrs. Edith Bailey.

Mrs. Harvey H. Jones and children are returning to their home in Auburn after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean are leaving today (Thursday) for a few days visit with their daughter, Mrs. Wendell Gibbs, in North Andover, Mass.

Richard Young and Stanley Brown, students at Becker College, Worcester, Mass., spent several days at their homes in town over the week end.

Miss Maria Robertson observed her 95th birthday last Saturday. She received many cards from friends and entertained several callers during the day.

Miss Katherine Dalley, who has been assisting Mrs. J. B. Chapman, has returned to her home in Canton to get ready to attend the Maine School of Commerce at Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Childs have as guests for the remainder of the week, Mrs. Childs' mother and sister, Mrs. Albert E. Neal and Mrs. Gladys Neal of Beacon St., Boston.

Ray Crockett has installed new sound equipment for H. N. Bragdon in Odeon Hall. Just a continuation of the Bragdon policy to give Bethel and environs the best; with a good man doing the job.

Mrs. James Macfarlane returned to her home in Newmarket, N. H., Monday. She was accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven. Miss Lucia Van Den Kerckhoven, and Mrs. G. L. Thurston.

Out of town people attending the funeral of Mrs. Anna French Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. George French, Mrs. Dorothy Tibert, of Turner; Robert I. French of Augusta, and Rev. Weston A. Cato, pastor of the Elm Street Universalist Church, Auburn.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral of Alphonse Van Den Kerckhoven last Thursday were George Hagerman, representative of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. of Boston; O. A. Schada, Belmont, Mass.; Francis Benjamin, Miss Helen Hartnett, representatives of the New England Tel. & Tel. Co. P. O. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell, Rumford; Judge and Mrs. H. P. Foster, Winthrop; Mr. and Mrs. William Vandekerckhoven, Lynn, Mass.; Mrs. Addie Vandekerckhoven, Brockton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. James Macfarlane, Newmarket, N. H.

SEYMOUR BROOKS

The funeral of Seymour Brooks was held Sunday afternoon at his Bryant Pond home. Rev. James MacKillop officiated. The floral tribute was beautiful.

He is survived by his widow, Agnes (Bolster) Brooks and two sons, Philip and Clyde Brooks of Portland; three grandchildren; and other relatives from away, who attended his funeral.

Mr. Brooks suffered a shock several months ago, and was taken with pneumonia last week, causing death. Mrs. John Brown has cared for him during his illness.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
Sunday, February 27th
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Keeping a brave heart."

6:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship. After an enforced vacation let us have a full attendance in church and Sunday School. It will do us all good.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 Morning Worship, Subject, "King, Prophet and Ass."

6:30 p. m. Epworth League, Speaker, Rev. P. J. Clifford.
7:30 Evening Worship, Subject, "Measuring One's Self."

Wednesday, 7 p. m. Men's Brotherhood supper and meeting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Christ Jesus" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 27.

The Golden Text is: "We preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake." (11 Corinthians 4:5).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "Jesus cried, and said, He that believeth on him that sent me, I am come into the world, that whosoever believeth on me should not abide in darkness." (John 12:44).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes selections from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

Testimonial meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

BORN

In Bethel, Feb. 20, to the wife of Blinn Collins, a daughter, Eunice Pauline.

In Berlin, N. H., Feb. 20 to the wife of Edwin Morrill of Bethel, a daughter, Lenora Eva.

MARRIED

In Newry, Feb. 14, by Gerard S. Williams, Justice of the Peace, George L. Wight and Miss Mary A. Bean, both of Newry.

DIED

In Bethel, Feb. 21, Mrs. Anna Twitchell French, widow of S. Irving French, aged 81 years.

In Bryant Pond, Feb. 17, Seymour W. Brooks, aged 72 years.

In Oxford, Feb. 21, Mrs. Roxie French, aged 96 years.

In Portland, Feb. 22, Mrs. Mary E. Banghart, widow of Rev. Charles L. Banghart, aged 72 years.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to friends who have been so kind and thoughtful during our recent sorrow, for the profusion of beautiful flowers, the many letters of sympathy, all deeds of helpfulness and offers of assistance, but particularly are we grateful to those who, by their faithful and frequent visits, helped to pass many an otherwise weary hour for him who has left us.

Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerckhoven
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HEADLINE DIGEST NEWS

Capt. Anthony Eden resigns as British Secretary for Foreign Affairs. Disagrees with Premier Neville Chamberlain over what he charges is British surrender to Hitler and Mussolini. Chamberlain says Eden's attitude would mean war with Italy for which Britain is not prepared. House of Commons backs Chamberlain 380 to 168. Debate features effect of new policy on United States.

Hitler in address to Reichstag demands return of pre-war colonies; promises protection to German minorities in bordering countries; silent on Austrian policies but belittled headed toward making Czechoslovakia and Hungary part of pan-Germanic empire.

John J. Pershing, only major head of a World War army still alive, is seriously ill in Arizona.

Japanese recall three high commanders after suffering reverses in Chinese war. Chinese airmen bomb Formosa and are generally active against Japanese attacking Lunghai railway. 400 lives daily is estimated cost of Lunghai drive.

Italy to leave Spain in return for British recognition of Ethiopia and other concessions. Stops anti-British broadcasts which have been fermenting trouble in Near East.

Indiana booms Paul V. McNutt for Democratic presidential nomination as Philippine High Commissioner returns to this country to confer on Far Eastern policies. Public Opinion poll shows 76% of voters polled think U. S. should retain Philippines lest Japs take control over them.

Five billion dollar plan broached to give U. S. 12 new battleships as nucleus for Atlantic fleet in addition to building up Pacific fleet. 350 warships, 500 planes to take part in Pacific maneuvers.

Polish leaders say birthrate so high Poland must have colonies. General Electric makes agreement with C. I. O. affecting 300,000 employees.

3,000 to 5,000 made homeless as Arkansas rivers go on rampage. Farm surplus bill signed by the President. Political commentators charge House and Senate never understood vast dictatorial powers delegated to Secretary of Agriculture in bill.

\$1,000,000 Irish Sweepstake tickets are seized by Custom officers at Portland. Two held, one in \$2,000 and one in \$10,000 bail. Owners of British ship fined \$600 for transporting tickets.

Eight men trapped as Hazelton, Pa., mine is flooded, one dead before rescuers reach them. Two men were washed out of the mine to safety on the rushing waters.

Chemist J. Victor Gallinoc claims to have taken fuel oil from whiskey which will leave no hangover.

Tornado strikes Rodessa, La., wrecking scores of homes, turning oil derricks over, releasing gas well, and killing at least 25.

Insurgent forces retake Tereul. Government casualties 250,000 in last few days.

Foreign Minister Delbos hits France may follow Britain and negotiate with Italy.

Joe Louis wins over Nathan Mann by knockout in third round. Czechoslovakia prepared for war if attacked says high command in answer to German threats.

Gilead

Mrs. Josephine Cole of Gray spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Leighton. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wight of Norway were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wight. Edward Holden of the U. S. Forest Service, Thornton, N. H., has been spending a few days with his family here.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle of Bethel was in town Wednesday.

Joseph Hebert and son Edmund of Sunday River spent the week end at their home here.

Mrs. Katherine Daniels and children of Gorham, N. H., were recent guests at the G. D. Daniels.

Miss Mona Hebert was in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

J. A. McBride was a visitor in Bethel, Monday.

Sunday River
Joe Spinney is able to be out after his recent illness.

Miss Bessie Libby called on Mrs. Joe Baker recently.

The Powers boys have opened the line house again.

Elmer Trank's and the Bartlett Brothers' trucks had a slight collision in what is known as the Alps on the Sunday River road Tuesday.

Mrs. Esther Powers called on Mrs. Joe Spinney Tuesday.

Guy Soper is cutting mill wood for R. L. Foster.

R. L. Foster spent several days at S. Tripp's last week getting the annual town report ready.

Riley and Ramsey Reynolds were home over the week end from Bath.

Miss Hazel Grover returned to her teaching duties Monday after being away several weeks on account of illness.

James Reynolds has not been feeling very well recently.

Wallace Warren was in town Monday.

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